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**M. VAN WAVEREN & SONS, INC.**  
26 CORTLANDT ST., NEW YORK CITY

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Prices of all offers are quoted net, and subject to market fluctuations.

All goods are sold f. o. b. New York, except *Gladiolus*, *Spiraea* and *Montbretia*, which are sold f. o. b. Boston, and travel at purchaser's risk and expense.

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sults of planting or forcing of any bulbs and roots we send out; we guarantee all varieties to be true to name and description.

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Verbal agreements will not be considered.

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All offers are made subject to being unsold.

By placing orders, buyers are considered to agree with these terms.

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¶ *We represent M. Van Waveren & Sons, Ltd., Hillegom, Holland, for the sale of their famous Dutch Bulbs.*

¶ *We represent the Société Anonyme Horticole (formerly K. J. Kuyk) Ghent, Belgium, for the sale of their fine Palms and Azaleas.*

¶ *Our Lily of the Valley pips are packed in Germany under the supervision of our own men.*

¶ *Our Lilies from Japan and Bermuda come from the very best growers, who match our standards of quality.*

# GLADIOLUS



**A**FTER many tests over several years we have become absolutely convinced that the Northern New England climate and growing conditions are the ideal ones for the production of vigorous Gladioli. That climate puts such marked vitality into seed potatoes that they will produce a good crop in far off tropical Bermuda under trying conditions. Our Northern New England grown Gladioli will duplicate that performance in the most southern state of the Union, in South America and in the greenhouses of the northern states. They will keep longer and stronger in the seed stores during the spring. The bulbs we produce in Northern New England are sun-cured, clear-skinned, high-crowned bulbs.

Curing Gladiolus bulbs is a fine art. It is perhaps more important than the growing of them. Many stocks suffer from haste and hasty methods. Haste makes waste. The curing of our stocks receives critical attention. We understand the processes of curing, proper storage and keeping the flowering strength of stocks up to scratch.

Gladioli are an excellent paying crop to any florist who will give a little study to their culture. Early varieties may be started in January, some even earlier, and this planting should be followed up with another every 3 weeks until April 1st. Carnation temperature suits Gladioli very well. Close planting causes non-flowering. This goes for cold frames as well as for greenhouses. Bulbs should be spaced 5 inches apart. They are impatient of too much moisture except when the buds are well up. As to varieties, America, Halley, Mrs. Frances King, Mrs. Frank Pendleton and Schwaben are the best to start with, they are reasonable in price and sure to bloom with splendid spikes.

Real good prices, \$2.50 to \$4.00 per dozen, have been realized this spring for spikes of Maiden's Blush, Alice Tiplady, Souvenir, Dorothy Wheeler, Lilywhite, Prince of Wales, Foch, Wilbrink, Ali, Flora and others. These varieties are higher priced to begin with, but they require the same space, labor, heat and attention as the older sorts.

## GLADIOLUS

### PRIMULINUS VARIETIES

Out of the maze of varieties a few are showing head and shoulders above the rest. We know that the following sorts are extra good:

Per 1000		
I	II	III

**ALICE TIPLADY.** Rich orange on three large outside petals, lower inside petals slightly lighter. Flower wide open, not hooded. Largest orange prim. Medium early, forces splendidly. Frequently gives two stalks per bulb

	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$20.00
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**DOROTHY WHEELER.** Same form and size as Alice Tiplady, but taller. Superb shade of pink. Easy forcing variety. In March, 1924, at New York, it was ahead of Maiden's Blush in size, color and stem

	40.00	30.00	20.00
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**FLAMING SWORD.** Exquisite new variety; tall, large flowered red, very scarce...

100	100	100
35.00	28.00	20.00

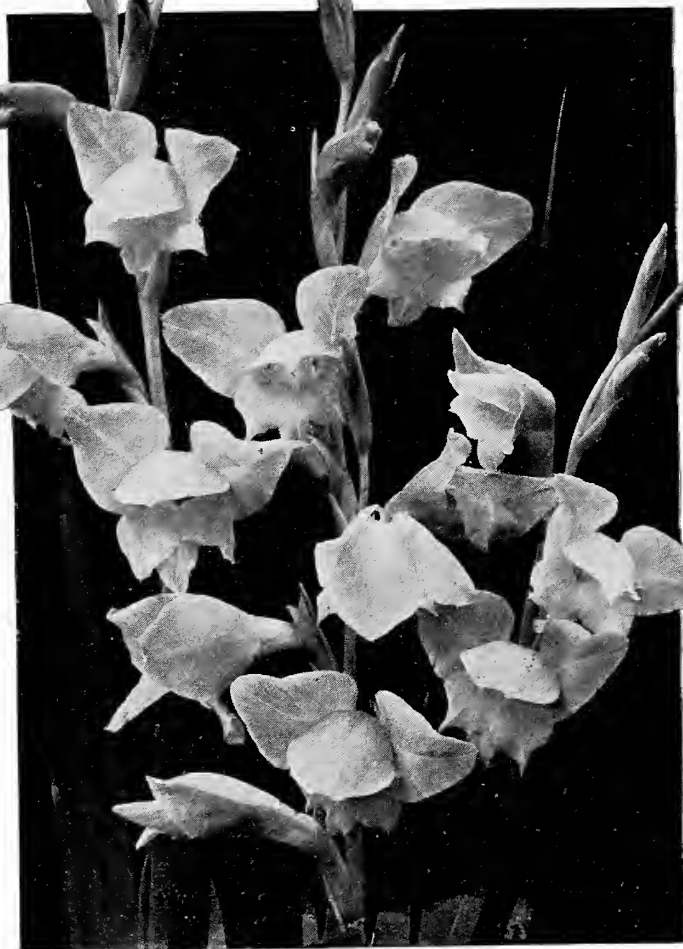
**HERMIONE.** Hooded prim. of saffron-orange tint. 5 or more good sized flowers open at once. Exceptionally graceful long spike

1000	1000	1000
35.00	28.00	17.00



GLADIOLUS, Prim. "SOUVENIR"

PHOTO BY MALBY



GLADIOLUS PRIMULINUS "MIRANDA"

## PRIMULINUS VARIETIES—Cont'd.

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>MAIDEN'S BLUSH.</b> Exquisite blush pink, finely formed flowers on wiry stems. Very free flowering and exceedingly early. Considered the best of all early pink Primulinus, displacing the old small baby Glads completely. \$40.00		\$30.00	\$20.00
<b>MIRANDA.</b> Same as Maiden's Blush, but pale sulphur with a thin red line on lower petal. Turns almost white when forced	30.00	24.00	15.00
<b>MYRA.</b> Dull salmon-rose, lower petals yellow with violet red feather, 3 to 4 very large hooded flowers open at once; early forcer, good stem	35.00	28.00	22.00
<b>ORANGE QUEEN.</b> New, large flowering, orange yellow tinted apricot	100 25.00	100 20.00	100 16.00
<b>ROSE LUISANTE.</b> A much deeper pink than Maiden's Blush, very early, rather tall, well balanced spike	1000 100.00	1000 80.00	1000 60.00
<b>SUNBEAM.</b> (Vaughan). Pure yellow, tall	40.00	32.00	26.00
<b>SOUVENIR.</b> Most superb deep yellow self. Tall-stemmed, large hooded flowers facing forward, 4 to 6 open at the same time. Flowers ship and keep exceptionally well. Early	40.00	32.00	20.00
<b>MIXTURE.</b> A delightful collection of popular tints; contains valuable seedlings. Fine forcing stock	22.00	16.00	11.00

## GLADIOLUS

### Large Flowering Types

	Per 1000		
	1½-2" I	1¼-1½" II	1-1¼" III
<b>ALI.</b> Fine lavender blue inside, slightly darker outside. Strong stem and wide open flowers of good size. The most attractive shade in commercial blues	\$45.00	\$36.00	\$22.00
<b>AMERICA.</b> Large flowering lavender pink. Fine vigorous stock	16.00	12.00	9.00
<b>ANNA EBERIUS.</b> Reddish purple with cardinal shade on lower lips, 3 to 5 flowers open, facing forward, extra fine	60.00	50.00	40.00

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>ANNIE WIGMAN.</b> Pale yellow with small red blotch on lower segments, early forcer, strong spike	30.00	24.00	15.00
<b>ARIZONA.</b> Dark pink, crimson blotch, medium rose flowers, many open at once. Good cut flower for long distance shipping	30.00	24.00	20.00
<b>BARON JOSEPH HULOT.</b> Rich deep indigo blue, narrow yellow pencil stripe on lower petals; a splendid companion to Flora in funeral wreaths	50.00	40.00	30.00

M. VAN WAVEREN & SONS LTD. — HILLEGOM.



NARCISSUS.  
Barri Bath's Flame.





## LARGE FLOWERED GLADIOLUS

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	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>BLUE BIRD.</b> (See Duchess of York.)			
<b>BRENCHLEYENSIS.</b> Bright scarlet, old favorite for the garden .....	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$12.00
<b>BRIMSTONE.</b> Pale sulphur yellow without blotch, habit of blooming like Schwaben, early .....	30.00	24.00	20.00
<b>BYRON L. SMITH.</b> Very fine cattleya color, superb show variety .....	70.00	56.00	45.00
<b>CATHERINA.</b> Lavender, purple blotch .....	80.00	65.00	50.00
<b>CHICAGO WHITE.</b> Pure white with lavender line on lower petals, good forcer... ..	20.00	15.00	11.00
<b>CORRY.</b> Bluish purple outside, inside lighter, lower petals blotched creamy white with reddish purple arrow pointing forward. A livelier color than Ali, but not so evenly tinted .....	40.00	32.00	20.00
<b>CRIMSON GLOW.</b> Vivid scarlet red, lighter in throat, very full strong spike, flowers wide open, exhibition variety .....	50.00	40.00	32.00
<b>DUCHESS OF YORK.</b> (Syn. Oiseau Bleu, Bluebird.) Almost twice the size of Baron Hulot, slightly more red in the color, velvety sheen. Petals elegantly pointed. Strong stems, heavily budded. This variety will displace Hulot within a few years .....	100.00	80.00	50.00
<b>EARLY SUNRISE.</b> Dull red, salmon yellow throat, large, early .....	45.00	36.00	30.00
<b>E. J. SHAYLOR.</b> Ruffled rose pink, tall, many flowers open, good keeper.....	45.00	36.00	30.00
<b>ELORA.</b> White suffused with pale pink, cream colored throat with carmine feather, very charming variety.....	60.00	50.00	30.00
<b>EMPRESS OF INDIA.</b> The very best dark maroon, spike and flower of good size, true stock very scarce.....	50.00	40.00	30.00
<b>EUROPE.</b> The finest pure white, rare .....	100.00	85.00	70.00
<b>EVELYN KIRTLAND.</b> Conspicuous rose-pink with brighter blotch, well built spike set with large open flowers, very tall.....	28.00	22.00	14.00



GLADIOLUS, "EVELYN KIRTLAND"

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>FLORA.</b> Soft, canary self without blotch. Flowers large, wide open, robust stems. First class shipper and keeper. Surpasses the well-known Schwaben in every respect. Produces splendid spikes from second size corms .....	\$35.00	\$26.00	\$17.00
<b>GLORY OF KENNEMERLAND.</b> (Syn. Gloriosa.) A strong rose, lower petals cream with thin red spear; first class market flower, medium early .....	25.00	20.00	16.00
<b>GOLD.</b> Golden yellow, throat darker yellow, little stippled, a rival of Golden Measure which we consider superior. ....	95.00	75.00	60.00

GLADIOLUS "FLORA"



## LARGE FLOWERED GLADIOLUS —Cont'd.

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>GOLDEN MEASURE.</b> Fine deep yellow, large wide open flowers; requires good feeding for best results. Strikingly beautiful .....	\$100.00	\$80.00	\$65.00
<b>HALLEY.</b> Lovely salmon pink, extra forcing stock...	18.00	14.00	10.00
<b>HERADA.</b> Pure mauve, a very attractive color; perfect open flowers of excellent size and texture; tall .....	35.00	28.00	20.00
<b>IDA VAN.</b> Red, very good early flower .....	25.00	18.00	12.00
<b>IMPERATOR.</b> Immense white flower, lower lip slightly tinted ivory which enhances its beauty. Forceful grower. Rather late...	200.00	150.00	100.00

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>IVORY.</b> Pure ivory white, large flowers facing forward, pointed petals, 6-8 open at one time. Sturdy grower, strong spike. A very refined new variety which we heartily recommended .....	\$100.00	\$80.00	\$65.00
<b>JACK LONDON.</b> Salmon with rose reflex, lower petal yellow with small wine-red feather, 4 to 6 flowers open, tall .....	100.00	80.00	60.00
<b>JOE COLEMAN.</b> Very good ruffled red .....	75.00	60.00	50.00
<b>LE MARECHAL FOCH.</b> Apple blossom pink with rosy carmine center, flowers of huge size, as early as Halley, vigorous stock....	22.00	16.00	11.00
<b>LENA GRAETZ.</b> Good white, faintly tinted pink, fairly tall, full spike .....	35.00	28.00	22.00
<b>LILYWHITE.</b> A fine early white, slightly tinted ivory, free-flowering and excellent forcing variety .....	25.00	20.00	12.00
<b>L'IMMACULEE.</b> Very good garden variety, broad spike of white flowers set nicely in two rows.....	45.00	34.00	28.00
<b>LOUISE.</b> Exquisite lavender-pink orchid shade, strong spike .....	60.00	50.00	40.00
<b>LOVELINESS.</b> Cream shaded buff, scarce .....	60.00	50.00	40.00
<b>MARSHALL FOCH.</b> (Kunderd.) Vivid pink, well expanded flower, exhibition variety .....	100.00	80.00	50.00
<b>MARY FENNELL.</b> Tall, light lavender with primrose throat, exquisite garden variety .....	45.00	35.00	28.00
<b>METEOR.</b> A bold red of good form, very striking variety..	50.00	40.00	32.00
<b>MISS HELEN FRANKLIN.</b> Pure white, pale blue lines on lower petals, heavily ruffled, very fine cut-flower variety .....	30.00	24.00	15.00
<b>MRS. DR. NORTON.</b> Large flowering creamy-white, suffused with pink at the edges, pale sulphur-yellow throat; very imposing when in full bloom .....	35.00	28.00	22.00
<b>MR. MARK.</b> Lilac blue, throat yellow and purple.....	50.00	40.00	30.00
<b>MRS. FRANCIS KING.</b> Scarlet, crimson blotch. This variety seems to be losing its vitality in some districts. It is still a great favorite. Vigorous stock for forcing..	22.00	16.00	12.00



GLADIOLUS, "MISS HELEN FRANKLIN"

## LARGE FLOWERED GLADIOLUS

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	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>MRS. FRANK PENDLETON.</b> Bright rose with crimson scarlet blotches on lower petals. Although of a loud color it is in very great demand everywhere. Splendid stalk, good producer under glass, strong forcing stock .....	\$22.00	\$16.00	\$11.00
<b>MRS. H. E. BOTHIN.</b> Salmon pink on white, heavily blotched fiery scarlet, ruffled, only 2 good flowers open at one time, but these are magnificent .....	150.00	120.00	90.00
<b>MRS. WATT.</b> The best wine red .....	30.00	24.00	18.00
<b>MURIEL.</b> Grayish lavender with blue reflex, violet blotch, good spike .....	90.00	70.00	55.00
<b>MYRTLE.</b> The pink of all the pinks, but a very poor propagator. A vase filled with well-grown stalks is unforgettable .....	55.00	46.00	30.00

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>NIAGARA.</b> Nankeen yellow spotted and veined carmine, gradually being displaced by better yellows like Schwaben and Flora .....	\$20.00	\$24.00	\$18.00
<b>NORA.</b> Rosy lavender with sharply pointed wine-red blotch on lower petals. Very good spike .....	35.00	28.00	18.00
<b>ODIN.</b> Exquisite deep salmon-rose, with broad red spear on lower segments. Halley type flowers and equally early .....	40.00	32.00	20.00
<b>ORANGE GLORY.</b> Peach red with orange, throat lighter with small carmine blotch, beautifully ruffled, excellent show variety but sometimes fails to bloom.....	50.00	40.00	30.00
<b>PANAMA.</b> Large open deep rose flowers. Still a leader, late .....	23.00	17.00	12.00
<b>PEACE.</b> White with conspicuous lilac spear, very tall and late, and on that account has probably made more money for florists than any other commercial white....	20.00	16.00	10.00



GLADIOLUS, "WAR"



GLADIOLUS,  
"WHITE CITY"

## LARGE FLOWERED GLADIOLUS

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	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>PINK PERFECTION.</b> Shell pink, buds tinted salmon. Spike carries double row of 6 to 8 open flowers, late, scarce .....	\$55.00	\$45.00	\$36.00
<b>PINK WONDER.</b> Pale pink with rose feathering, very large but soft, good for shows or garden effect....	70.00	60.00	50.00
<b>PRIDE OF HILLEGOM.</b> Bright red, lower petals carry narrow white stripe, 4 to 6 large open flowers, tall, extra for cutting.....	40.00	32.00	26.00
<b>PRINCE OF WALES.</b> Pink, suffused with salmon-orange, early. Extra forcing variety. We prefer Alice Tip-lady which is not as large but a much stronger orange and free flowering.....	30.00	24.00	15.00

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>PURPLE GLORY.</b> Velvety ruby red with darker blotch, elegantly ruffled .....	\$65.00	\$55.00	\$44.00
<b>RED CANNA.</b> Brighter and taller than Mrs. Frances King. A very excellent cut-flower variety. Keeps and ships wonderfully well. In the Boston market buyers would not take King if they could get Red Canna.....	35.00	27.00	18.00
<b>RED EMPEROR.</b> Amaryl-lis-like flowers of deep ox-blood red. Considered the most showy of all reds. Stock very limited.....	55.00	44.00	32.00
<b>ROSE 1910.</b> Exquisite rose pink, extra wholesale cut-flower variety .....	30.00	24.00	18.00
<b>ROSE ASH.</b> Corynthian red combined with ashes of roses, rather unique, large..	90.00	75.00	60.00
<b>ROSE GLORY.</b> Ruffled rose pink .....	50.00	40.00	32.00
<b>ROSE PEARL.</b> A particularly fine sport of Halley..	30.00	24.00	18.00
<b>ROSE PRECOSE.</b> Exceptionally early, double row of deep rose flowers, beautiful long spikes.....	100.00	80.00	60.00
<b>ROUGE TORCH.</b> Soft shell pink, clear carmine blotch, Pendleton type but much daintier .....	36.00	24.00	15.00
<b>SCARLET PRINCEPS.</b> Lively scarlet, throat brighter, massive spike carrying 5 to 7 large open flowers, very vigorous show variety .....	65.00	55.00	44.00
<b>SCARLANO.</b> Vivid orange red, not large but many flowers open, excellent spike .....	45.00	36.00	28.00
<b>SCHWABEN.</b> Soft yellow with deep red blotch. A very popular yellow available at a reasonable price...	22.00	16.00	11.00
<b>VESTA TILLEY.</b> Pale pink, small purple arrowhead on lower segments, very early..	40.00	30.00	20.00
<b>VIRGINIA.</b> Superb red....	100.00	80.00	65.00
<b>WAR.</b> Blood-red, shaded crimson .....	35.00	28.00	23.00
<b>WHITE CITY.</b> Buds faintly tinted pink, but as white as Europe when open. Very large flowers of superb form. Makes a vigorous healthy plant which blooms in mid-season, with a strong straight spike. We think very highly of it .....	40.00	32.00	20.00
<b>WHITE GIANT.</b> White, huge lily-like flowers, tall, very scarce .....	75.00	65.00	50.00

**LARGE FLOWERED GLADIOLUS**

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	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
<b>WHITE GLORY.</b> White shaded cream, blue line on lower segments, heavily ruffled, compact spike. Opinions differ as to its beauty..	\$75.00	\$60.00	\$50.00
<b>WHITE WONDER.</b> With pink reflex, large but soft, fine show and garden variety, late .....	50.00	40.00	32.00
<b>WILBRINK.</b> Pink sport of Halley, same size flower, fine for early forcing, highly recommended as it is the best pink money-maker for early work .....	22.00	16.00	10.00
<b>YELLOW HAMMER.</b> Soft yellow with small red marks in throat, rather dwarf, not large .....	40.00	32.00	20.00

**MIXTURES OF GLADIOLI**

	Per 1000		
	I	II	III
White and light pink varieties, carefully blended .....	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00
Rose and deep pink varieties, carefully blended .....	20.00	15.00	10.00
Scarlet and red varieties, carefully blended .....	22.00	17.00	12.00
Yellow and orange varieties, carefully blended .....	22.00	17.00	12.00
Striped and blotched varieties, carefully blended .....	20.00	15.00	12.00
Blue and purple varieties, carefully blended .....	35.00	28.00	22.00
<b>PANDORRA MIXTURE,</b> of 25 varieties, all colors.....	22.00	15.00	11.00
Standard mixture, all large flowering kinds .....	16.00	10.00	7.00



GLADIOLUS, "WILBRINK"

**COLD STORAGE GLADIOLI**

For late June, July and August planting we can recommend our process of cold-storing Gladioli as it has produced excellent results. We have bulbs in cold storage now (Sept. 15) for October planting which look as sound and dormant as when they were first put in. Cold storage lots are packed to order only, in neat cases containing from 250 to 1,000 specially examined top-size bulbs.

**DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS**

(BLEEDING HEART)

It is very difficult to grow clumps of this old favorite such as Holland used to send us. The roots we ship are strong, producing excellent plants which sell on sight when in bloom.

Selected clumps.....\$40.00 per 100



DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS



### SPIRAEA "PHILADELPHIA"

The most impressive and most beautiful Spiraea for Decoration Day.

#### CULTURAL DIRECTIONS

Spiraea should be planted in 6-inch or 7-inch pots according to size of clump, well below the rim of the pot. For very showy plants two clumps may be cut in a correspondingly larger pot or Azalea pan. The potted stock can be placed in a frame or below a bench in a cool house for six to eight weeks and early varieties, if fairly well started, should then be placed on

the bench giving plenty of space and a temperature of 50 to 55 degrees. As the foliage is one of the glorious assets of a good Spiraea it should be watched and allowed to come down all around the plant. Do not fumigate but, if necessary, spray lightly against aphids. These, and watering every day, are the simple rules to grow perfect Spiraea in the greenhouse. Watering every day is the most important point to secure success.



# SPIRAEAS

(Ready for shipment in November)

**A** WELL-GROWN SPIRAEA is one of the most attractive and decorative plants. It can be sold at a reasonable price and still it makes a big show for the money. For decorating churches and homes at Easter time or graves on Decoration Day it is very charming and effective. If the pot is not sold, the flowers may be cut for wreaths and sprays while the abundant leaves provide elegant greenery.

If you have a retail store connected with your green-

houses, keep some Spiraea in a cool house for sale after Easter. There is always call for them, especially if you tell your customer that she can plant the Spiraea, after blooming, in her garden where it will prove to be hardy and will bloom there many years in a border or other semi-shady place. Besides that, a few fine Spiraea provide inexpensive yet attractive window dressing.

Upon request we will pack 12, 25, 50 or 100 extra clumps in neat cases and place them in Boston or New York cold storage for very late forcing.

Spiraea thrive wonderfully under the cool climate of Northern New England, making solid clumps set with many strong flower and leaf buds. Grown without irrigation but with plenty of sub-soil moisture when needed.

	Per 100
<b>AMERICA.</b> Charming lilac-rose flowers which do not fade, abundant foliage, mid-season forcer, medium height, strong clumps .....	\$35.00
<b>BRUNHILDE.</b> Tall, very late, creamy-white, large flowers on long stems, profuse bloomer, excellent cut flower variety from June till August.....	60.00
<b>CERES.</b> Bright rosy lilac, large plumes, light green foliage; magnificent outdoor or late forcing variety.....	60.00
<b>GLADSTONE.</b> Best white for forcing, Easter variety .....	40.00
<b>JAPONICA.</b> Good white for Decoration Day .....	30.00
<b>JUNO.</b> Purplish rose, strong tall stems, much branched, forming large pyramidal panicles; late garden variety.....	50.00
<b>KRIEMHILDE.</b> Salmon rose, very attractive, probably the finest of the late Spiraea	60.00
<b>MONT BLANC.</b> Exquisite white, dwarf, bright green foliage, medium early.....	35.00
<b>PEACH BLOSSOM.</b> Pale rose, forcing variety for Easter.....	33.00
<b>PHILADELPHIA.</b> Clear lavender-rose full flowers rise above broadly spreading foliage. Very showy in large pots. A little late, but can be bloomed from April 20th on. Very attractive and hardy in any New England garden.....	45.00
<b>PRINCESS MARY.</b> Deep rose pink shaded lilac, good forcer, reluctant to form big clumps .....	50.00
<b>QUEEN ALEXANDRA.</b> Beautiful pink Easter variety of proven merit.....	36.00
<b>RUBENS.</b> Deep carmine-rose, character of the flower and plant much like Gladstone. Excellent for retarding in cold storage .....	40.00
<b>VENUS.</b> Purplish rose, late, tall garden variety .....	50.00
<b>VESTA.</b> Bright rosy lilac, earliest of the tall Spiraea .....	50.00



DISTINCTIVE, CHARMING MONTBRETIAS

## TUBEROSES

We offer a very select stock of dwarf double Tuberoses "The Pearl," an old favorite which is regaining its place in many flower stores. It will never be a quantity item, but a proportionately large profit can be made on a small outlay by planting 500 or 1000 bulbs.

Extra selected bulbs.....\$30.00 per 1000  
 First size ..... 25.00 " "  
 Mexican, single blooming..... 25.00 " "

## MONTBRETIAS

These are very similar in growth to Gladioli and require about the same cultural treatment. They are hardy south of Philadelphia, giving a great profusion of blooms from July on until frost. In a small way it is a profitable florists' cutflower during the summer and it makes a very satisfactory addition to the garden when planted in clumps of 10 to 15 bulbs.

**CALIFORNIA.** Deep golden yellow, rounded petals. Per 100, \$4.50.....\$40.00

**CROCOSMIAEFLORE.** Fine scarlet and yellow. Per 100, \$3.50..... 30.00

**FIRE KING.** Large glowing scarlet-red, compares favorably with the most expensive new reds. Per 100, \$7.50..... 65.00

**GEORGE DAVISON.** First to bloom and the most reliable. Lovely pale orange yellow, one of the finest. Per 100, \$5.00. 45.00

**GOLDEN SHEAF.** Pure golden yellow. Per 100, \$4.50..... 38.00

**HEREWARD.** Late, large flowering yellow shaded orange on the outside. Per 100, \$8.50 ..... 75.00

**KING EDMUND.** Tall stemmed, rich golden yellow with brown markings. Per 100, \$8.00 ..... 70.00

**KOH-I-NOOR.** Rich pure orange on apricot base; very fine broad petaled flower. Per 100, \$10.00.....

**LADY HAMILTON.** Large yellow, center rayed rosy apricot. Per 100, \$12.00..

**LORD NELSON.** Crimson outside, orange scarlet with yellow eye inside; large effective variety. Per 100, \$12.00..

**STAR OF FIRE.** Vermillion, center yellow, outside blood-red. Per 100, \$8.50.. 75.00

**SUNSET.** Orange. Per 100, \$5.00..... 40.00

**MIXTURE.** Carefully blended. Per 100, \$3.00 ..... 25.00



# LILY OF THE VALLEY

We specialize in the finest forcing Valley grown in Germany, and are ready at all times to match our grades with any one else's. We have handled Valley for more than 30 years in ever-increasing quantities. We know, as far as human knowledge can determine, what is good cold storage Valley and where the best stocks are grown. We do not take consignments and do not simply cable an order over. Our Holland house sends its men into the fields in Germany at digging time, to inspect the crop and to see that what goes into the cases is first class in every respect. The smallest case, containing 250 pips, is of just as fine a quality as the case of 2,000. We pack in cases of 250, 500, 1,000 and 2,000 pips and we usually carry a stock in cold storage all the year around. Advance orders placed by customers before the shipping season starts, are packed separately in Germany. Shipping dates are scrupulously observed by us all the year around.

## Quality Governs Price

Prices on Valley pips vary according to quality. It is clear that we cannot specialize in top grades and meet prices on other qualities, but we assure our customers that our prices are low for the select stock we send out.

	Per case
In cases of 250.....	\$ 9.00
" " " 500.....	16.00
" " " 1,000.....	30.00
" " " 2,000.....	60.00

The above prices are for stock which we must carry in cold storage, subject to customers' call.

We can allow 10% off these prices if customers take possession of their shipments immediately on arrival from Germany in December.



VAN WAVEREN'S SELECTED VALLEY

# LILIES

(Prices subject to change in case of subnormal crop)

## AURATUM. Hardy (Nov.-Dec. shipment).

8-9 in., 100 per case....	\$15.00
9-11 in., 100 per case....	22.00
11-13 in., 100 per case....	26.00

## ERABU. Black stem (Aug. shipment).

7-9 in., 300 per case....	\$33.00
8-9 in., 200 per case....	35.00
9-10 in., 200 per case....	37.00

## FORMOSUM. (Aug. shipment.)

7-9 in., 300 per case....	\$30.00
8-9 in., 200 per case....	32.00
9-10 in., 200 per case....	33.00

## GIGANTEUM. Extra forcing stock. (Nov. shipment.)

6-8 in., 400 per case....	\$40.00
7-9 in., 300 per case....	40.00
8-10 in., 225 per case....	45.00
9-10 in., 200 per case....	45.00

## HARRISII. Conquesta Strain. None better. (Aug. shipment.)

6-7 in., 335 per case....	\$38.00
7-9 in., 200 per case....	40.00
8-10 in., 150 per case....	44.00
9-11 in., 100 per case....	40.00

## REGALE. American grown. (Nov.-Dec. delivery.)

1-1½ in. diameter, per 100....	\$40.00
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1½-2 in. diameter, per 100....	50.00
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## SPECIOSUM ALBUM. Hardy. (Nov.-Dec. shipment.)

8-9 in., 100 per case....	\$20.00
9-11 in., 100 per case....	30.00

## SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. Hardy. (Nov.-Dec. shipment.)

8-9 in., 100 per case....	\$14.00
9-11 in., 100 per case....	23.00

## TIGRINUM. Well-known Tiger Lily. (Nov.-Dec. shipment.)

Extra stock, per 1000.....	\$60.00
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FREESIA, "IMPROVED PURITY"

## FREESIAS

(For shipment in July and August, 1926,  
subject to crop)

	Per 1000
<b>AMETHYST.</b> A beautiful amethyst blue with light center. Strong, sturdy growth.....	\$35.00
<b>AURORA.</b> A large flowering yellow suffused with orange .....	30.00
<b>CALIFORNIA.</b> A large flower of a bright golden yellow, extra strong growth and long stems. One of the very finest yellow freesias..	30.00
<b>CARMENCITA.</b> Medium sized flower of a beautiful light orange salmon hue with buff shading on the lower petals. Long wiry stems.....	30.00
<b>CARRIE BUDEAU.</b> A lavender pink, a great improvement over Gen. Pershing; flowers larger and heavier stems. An enormous grower and producer .....	40.00
<b>GENERAL PERSHING.</b> Bronze pink.....	30.00
<b>ILENA.</b> Deep rosy lavender with white throat. Deep orange blotch on lower petal and good stiff stems. Flowers large and very attractive.	40.00

	Per 1000
<b>MRS. MARC PETER.</b> A new variety, very attractive deep rosy salmon with lower petals blotched orange and yellow. Flowers are of good size, open up well and are good keepers. This is a very popular variety on the Chicago market, and is one of the earliest Colored Freesias to bloom.....	45.00
<b>OLIVETTE.</b> Bright carmine red with light yellow throat. Lower petals having a deep yellow blotch with crimson veins. Very profuse bloomer .....	35.00
<b>PURITY.</b> Extra large flowering strain, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ "..	10.00
Extra large flowering strain, $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ "..	18.00
Extra large flowering strain, $\frac{3}{4}$ " up..	30.00
Extra large flowering strain, $\frac{7}{8}$ " up..	Open price
<b>SPLENDENS.</b> Lavender .....	30.00
<b>YELLOW PRINCE.</b> A somewhat darker flower than California, stems extra long and wiry...	30.00
<b>RAINBOW MIXTURE</b> .....	25.00

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

*Grown in America*

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<b>ANEMONES, Single de Caen.</b> Superb mixture. (Aug.-April delivery.)	Per 1,000	\$35.00
<b>St. Brigid.</b> Superb mixture.	Per 1000	45.00
<b>AMARYLLIS.</b> (Hippeastrum.) Strong hybrids. (Nov.-April delivery)	Per 100	40.00
<b>BEGONIAS, Tuberous rooted.</b> Single mixed. (Nov.-April delivery.)	Per 100	22.00
<b>Tuberous rooted.</b> Double mixed.	Per 100	25.00
<b>CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.</b> (Elephant's Ears.) (Dec.-March delivery.)		
Large size.	Per 100	12.00
Medium size.	Per 100	6.00
<b>Fancy Leaved.</b> 1¼ in. diameter.	Per 100	18.00
<b>Fancy Leaved.</b> Mixed.	Per 100	13.00
<b>CALLA Aethiopica.</b> White. Large size. (Aug.- Sept. delivery.)	Per 100	20.00
Medium size.	Per 100	15.00
<b>Elliottiana.</b> Yellow. Large size. (Nov.- Dec. delivery.)	Per 100	22.00
Medium size.	Per 100	15.00
<b>Godfrey.</b> White. (Aug.-Sept. delivery.)		
Large size.	Per 100	13.00
Medium size.	Per 100	10.00
<b>CANNA.</b> 10 best varieties. (Spring delivery.)	Per 100, \$5.00; per 1,000	40.00
<b>CHIONODOXA Luciliae.</b> Blue. (Aug. deliv- ery.)	Per 1,000	30.00
<b>DAHLIAS.</b> 20 large decorative type varieties, named.	Per 100	20.00
10 Cactus varieties.	Per 100	20.00
Collection of 100 named varieties, all types.	Per 100, \$50.00; per 1,000	400.00
We cannot accept orders for less than 100 roots. All Dahlias Spring delivery.		
<b>GALANTHUS.</b> Single Snowdrops. (Aug. deliv- ery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
<b>GLADIOLUS Cardinalis, The Bride.</b> White. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
<b>Cardinalis, Blushing Bride.</b> (Aug. deliv- ery.)	Per 1,000	30.00
<b>Cardinalis, Peach Blossom.</b> (Aug. deliv- ery.)	Per 1,000	30.00
<b>Cardinalis, Brilliant.</b> (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
<b>GLOXINIA.</b> Mixed colors. (Nov.-April deliv- ery.) Large size.	Per 100	20.00
Medium size.	Per 100	15.00
<b>HYACINTHUS Candicans.</b> Medium size. (Nov.-April delivery.)	Per 1,000	50.00
<b>IRIS Germanica,</b> in 25 good varieties. (Spring delivery.)	Per 100, \$20.00 per 1,000	150.00
<b>Hispanica,</b> in varieties. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
<b>Hollandia,</b> in varieties. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	45.00
<b>Imperator.</b> (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	55.00
<b>IXIA, Mixed,</b> in varieties. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
In 10 varieties. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	50.00



ANEMONES

<b>MUSCARI, Botryoides.</b> Blue. (Aug. delivery.)		
	Per 1,000	20.00
<b>Heavenly Blue.</b> (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	30.00
<b>NARCISSUS, Extra Mixture.</b> For naturalizing. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	45.00
<b>Trumpet varieties.</b> (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	\$75.00 to 100.00
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<b>PAEONIES.</b> 10 good varieties, 2-3 eyes. (Spring delivery.)	Per 100, \$35.00; per 1,000	300.00
White, pink, red and mixed. (Spring deliv- ery.)	Per 100	26.00
<b>RANUNCULUS, French Hybrids.</b> (Aug.-Oct. delivery.)	Per 1,000	35.00
<b>SCILLA Siberica.</b> (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	40.00
<b>Campanulata.</b> Blue. (Aug. delivery.)	Per 1,000	40.00
<b>SNOWFLAKES</b> (Leucojum).	Per 1,000	30.00
<b>TIGRIDIAS,</b> in 5 varieties. (Spring delivery.)	Per 100	15.00

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